AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1 OFFERED BY Mr. MANZULLO OF ILLINOIS

In part 1 of subtitle G of title I, add the following new section:

1	SEC. 1605. TEMPORARY CREDIT FOR PURCHASE OF PAS-
2	SENGER VEHICLES.
3	(a) IN GENERAL.—Subpart B of part IV of sub-
4	chapter A of chapter 1 is amended by inserting after sec-
5	tion 30D the following new section:
6	"SEC. 30E. TEMPORARY CREDIT FOR PURCHASE OF PAS-
7	SENGER VEHICLES.
8	"(a) ALLOWANCE OF CREDIT.—There shall be al-
9	lowed as a credit against the tax imposed by this chapter
10	for the taxable year an amount equal to the purchase price
11	of any qualified passenger vehicle placed in service by the
12	taxpayer during the taxable year.
13	"(b) Maximum Credit.—
14	"(1) NEW VEHICLES.—In the case of each
15	qualified passenger vehicle the original use of which
16	begins with the taxpayer, the credit allowed by sub-
17	section (a) shall not exceed—
18	"(A) \$5,000 in the case of a vehicle placed
19	in service before January 1, 2010, and

1	"(B) \$2,500 in the case of a vehicle placed
2	in service during 2010.
3	"(2) USED VEHICLES.—In the case of each
4	qualified passenger vehicle the original use of which
5	does not begin with the taxpayer, the credit allowed
6	by subsection (a) shall not exceed—
7	"(A) \$2,000 in the case of a vehicle placed
8	in service before January 1, 2010, and
9	"(B) \$1,000 in the case of a vehicle placed
10	in service during 2010.
11	"(c) Limitation Based on Adjusted Gross In-
12	COME.—
13	"(1) IN GENERAL.—In the case of a natural
14	person, the amount allowable as credit under this
15	section (without regard to this subsection) for any
16	taxable year shall be reduced (but not below zero) by
17	the amount which bears the same ratio to the
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18	amount so allowable as—
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19	amount so allowable as— "(A) the excess (if any) of—
19 20	amount so allowable as— "(A) the excess (if any) of— "(i) the taxpayer's modified adjusted
19 20 21	amount so allowable as— "(A) the excess (if any) of— "(i) the taxpayer's modified adjusted gross income for such taxable year, over

1	"(2) Modified adjusted gross income.—
2	For purposes of paragraph (1), the term 'modified
3	adjusted gross income' means the adjusted gross in-
4	come of the taxpayer for the taxable year increased
5	by any amount excluded from gross income under
6	section 911, 931, or 933.
7	"(d) QUALIFIED PASSENGER VEHICLE.—For pur-
8	poses of this section—
9	"(1) In GENERAL.—The term 'qualified pas-
10	senger vehicle' means any motor vehicle (as defined
11	by section 30(c)(2)) if—
12	"(A) the model year of such vehicle is (at
13	the time such vehicle is placed in service by the
14	taxpayer) not more than 3 years earlier than
15	the most recent model year of such vehicle
16	which is available for purchase,
17 [.]	"(B) such vehicle is acquired for use by
18	the taxpayer and not for resale,
19	"(C) the amount paid by the taxpayer for
20	such vehicle does not exceed \$50,000, and
21	"(D) such vehicle has a gross vehicle
22	weight rating of not more than 8,500 pounds.
23	"(2) DETERMINATION OF PRICE.—Rules similar
24	to the rules of sections 4002(d) and 4003(c) shall
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1	"(e) APPLICATION WITH OTHER CREDITS.—
2	"(1) Business credit treated as part of
3	GENERAL BUSINESS CREDIT.—So much of the credit
4	which would be allowed under subsection (a) for any
5	taxable year (determined without regard to this sub-
6	section) that is attributable to property of a char-
7	acter subject to an allowance for depreciation shall
8 ·	be treated as a credit listed in section 38(b) for such
9	taxable year (and not allowed under subsection (a)).
10	"(2) Personal credit.—
11	"(A) IN GENERAL.—For purposes of this
12 .	title, the credit allowed under subsection (a) for
13	any taxable year (determined after application
14	of paragraph (1)) shall be treated as a credit
15	allowable under subpart A for such taxable
16	year.
17	"(B) LIMITATION BASED ON AMOUNT OF
18	TAX .—In the case of a taxable year to which
19	section 26(a)(2) does not apply, the credit al-
20	lowed under subsection (a) for any taxable year
21	(determined after application of paragraph (1))
22	shall not exceed the excess of—
23	"(i) the sum of the regular tax liabil-
24	ity (as defined in section 26(b)) plus the
25	tax imposed by section 55, over

1	"(ii) the sum of the credits allowable
2	under subpart A (other than this section
3	and sections 23, 25D, and 30D) and sec-
4	tion 27 for the taxable year.
5	"(f) Special Rules.—For purposes of this sec-
6	tion—
7	"(1) Basis reduction.—The basis of any
8	property for which is credit is allowed under this
9	section shall be reduced by the amount of such cred-
10	it.
11	"(2) PROPERTY USED OUTSIDE UNITED
12	STATES, ETC., NOT QUALIFIED.—No credit shall be
13	allowed under subsection (a) with respect to any
14	property referred to in section 50(b) or with respect
15	to the portion of the cost of any property taken into
16	account under section 179.
17	"(g) APPLICATION OF SECTION.—This section shall
18	apply to vehicles placed in service after the date of the
19	enactment of this section and before January 1, 2011.".
20	(b) Conforming Amendments.—
21	(1) Paragraph (1) of section 26(a) is amended
22	by striking "and 30D" and inserting "30D, and
23	30E".
24	(2) Subsection (a) of section 1016 is amended
25	by striking "and" at the end of paragraph (36), by

- striking the period at the end of paragraph (37) and
- 2 inserting ", and", and by adding at the end the fol-
- 3 lowing new paragraph:
- 4 "(38) to the extent provided by section
- 5 $30\dot{E}(f)(1)$.".
- 6 (3) The table of sections for subpart B of part
- 7 IV of subchapter A of chapter 1 is amended by in-
- 8 serting after the item relating to section 30D the
- 9 following new item:

"Sec. 30E. Temporary credit for purchase of passenger vehicles.".

- 10 (c) Effective Date.—The amendments made by
- 11 this section shall apply to taxable years ending after the
- 12 date of the enactment of this Act.

